

SUNDAY SERVICE 2-12-23

In Colossians 2:5 he affirms the faith of the church at Colossae. Their faith in Christ is not in question. But as a good discipler, Paul encourages them to walk in Christ. Read Colossians 2:6-12.

1. How many times in these 7 verses does Paul tell them that they are to be "in Him/Christ". Discuss what it means to be "In Christ". What does the character and actions of a person that is "In Christ" look like?
2. What would it be like to be on a walk in the woods with Jesus? What might you talk about or NOT talk about (remember that Jesus knows your thoughts)?
3. Jesus is an exact representation of God. Think over the life, words and stories of Jesus. What do these tell you about the character and nature of God? Make a list.
4. We are to be baptized out of obedience to Christ and as an outward demonstration of in inward change (circumcision of the heart). Discuss the symbolic nature of baptism (what does it represent). In the early church it was unheard of for a Christian to not be baptized. Why do you think this was true?

